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On 29 January 1955, the NAN HAI was anchored in mid-stream off the Back Reach, Canton. The vessel had been towed from Swatow, where it had received damage to the foredeck, the funnel, and the bridge awning during the Nationalist raid on Swatow in which the EBENDALE was sunk on 19 January 1955. Welding was being carried out on the deck of NAN HAI.

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Comment. This report is accepted as probably true. It is known that NAN HAI was damaged and set on fire during the raid and that on 22 January 1955 she left Swatow and went up the Pearl River.

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